

December

2024

IT'S THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR!

The Gatherings Events!

The Gatherings is a welcoming community and everyone is encouraged to join in the fun!

"Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart." - Elizabeth Andrew



Board Approved Events

Non-Board-Sanctioned Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 2:00 Bingo 6:00 Dominoes	4 1:00 Mahjongg	5 3:00 Book Club at Suzanne McCloskey's 6:00 Shuffleboard	6 <i>Deadline to sign up for Holiday Luncheon!</i>	7
8	9	10 2:00 Bingo 6:00 Dominoes	11 1:00 Mahjongg <i>6-8 Christmas House Tour</i>	12 6:00 Shuffleboard	13 <i>Last Day for Toys for Tots!</i>	14
15 <i>11:30-2:30m Holiday Luncheon at MudHen</i>	16	17 9-11 Cookies & Coffee! 2:00 Bingo 6:00 Dominoes	18 1:00 Mahjongg	19 6:00 Shuffleboard	20	21
22	23	24 <i>Christmas Eve</i>	25 <i>Christmas Day Hanukkah Begins</i>	26	27	28
29	30	31 <i>New Year's Eve Outdoor Decorating Contest Voting Ends!</i>				

The Social Committee has quite a few activities for the community in December!

- Once again, we will have the Outdoor Decorating Contest
 - Vote for the best decorated home. A box for your ballots will be here in the Clubhouse
 - Deadline to vote is December 31st and the winner will be announced January 2nd
- Wednesday, Dec. 11th, 6-8 pm – Holiday House Tour
 - This is a chance to show off your beautiful holiday décor and to see your neighbors.
 - Let Rita Walls know if you would like to participate by December 6th, so she can generate a list
- The Holiday Luncheon is on Sunday, Dec. 15th, 11:30-2:30, at the Station House at the Mud Hen Brewery.
 - This will be a sit-down luncheon and you can choose from four delicious entrees
 - Guests are welcome!
 - We are committed to a minimum number of attendees and we only have 24, so far.
 - Please see Rita Walls, Debbie Smith, Maria Chetalo or Sue Short for tickets as soon as possible.
- On Tuesday, Dec. 17th, 9am - 11am , we will be hosting a holiday Cookies, Coffee and Sharing.
 - This is a good opportunity to take a breath between all the hectic holiday activities and say Hi to your neighbors
 - We're asking that everyone, if you can, bring a dozen cookies, which can be homemade or store bought. We'll then package these up and take them to our housebound neighbors
- We are committed to our community and plan monthly Happy Hours and other functions to have fun and keep us all connected in 2025.

Happy Holiday Season to all!



*Please vote for your favorite holiday
decorated home in our
Gatherings At Cape May Community*

*The voting box will be in the clubhouse
through January 1st 2025*

*Just write the address on the slip of paper
provided by the voting box
One vote per person please!*

*The winner will be announced shortly
after January 1st 2025, and win a great
prize!*



Happy



*The Gatherings At Cape May
Holiday House Tour 2024
Wednesday, December 11, 2024
6pm until 8pm*

*If you wish to open your decorated home to
your neighbors for a tour,*

Please call or text:

*Rita Walls
215 275 9236*

*Light Refreshments may be served during the
house tour if you choose.*

Holidays

COOKIES, COFFEE, AND SHARING!

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17TH 2024

9AM UNTIL 11AM

**DROP BY THE CLUBHOUSE FOR COFFEE
AND COOKIES!**

PLEASE BRING ONE DOZEN OF YOUR FAVORITE
HOLIDAY COOKIES, EITHER HOME MADE OR
PURCHASED TO SHARE WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS
AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE WILL BOX AND WRAP
SOME OF THE DELICIOUS TREATS TO GIVE TO
OUR NEIGHBORS WHO FIND IT DIFFICULT TO
COME OUT OF THE HOUSE, ESPECIALLY IN COLD
WEATHER.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, YOU MAY
CONTACT ANY MEMBER OF THE SOCIAL
COMMITTEE.



**THE 2024 TOYS FOR TOTS
DONATION BOX
WILL BE IN THE CLUBHOUSE READY
FOR YOUR DONATIONS FROM
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH
THROUGH
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13TH**

**THANK YOU FOR DONATING A NEW
UNWRAPPED GIFT FOR CHILDREN IN
OUR AREA.**



*THE GATHERINGS HOLIDAY PARTY
THE STATION HOUSE @
THE MUD HEN BREWERY CO.
WILDWOOD, NJ
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2024
11:30AM UNTIL 2:30PM
A THREE-COURSE LUNCHEON WILL BE
SERVED
CASH BAR
\$40.00 PER PERSON*

*PLEASE GIVE YOUR DINING CHOICE WHEN
PURCHASING YOUR TICKET FROM ANY
SOCIAL COMMITTEE MEMBER BY
DECEMBER 6TH 2024*

PLEASE SEE SEPARATE MENU

*DEB SMITH
MARIA CHETALO
RITA WALLS
SUE SHORT*

*HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE
LIMITED HANDICAP PARKING UPON REQUEST*



*THE STATION HOUSE
THE GATHERINGS HOLIDAY PARTY MENU*

CEASAR SALAD

*ROMAINE, CROSTINI, HERB ROASTED TOMATOES & SHAVE
PARMESAN WITH CEASAR DRESSING*

NEW YORK STRIP STEAK

*NEW YORK STRIP TOPPED WITH TRUFFLE CREAM SAUCE AND
CRISPY ONIONS, SERVED WITH RED BLISS POTATOES AND GREEN
BEANS*

CREAMY PASTA PRIMAVERA

*BROCCOLI, CARROTS, BELL PEPPERS & ZUCCHINI SERVED IN A
PARMESAN GARLIC CREAM SAUCE OVER PENNE PASTA*

CHICKEN PARMESAN

*BREADED CHICKEN CUTLETS TOPPED WITH HOMEMADE
MOZZARELLA, PARMESAN CHEESE AND HOMEMADE MARINARA
SERVED OVER SPAGHETTI*

STUFFED SHRIMP

*SHRIMP STUFFED WITH LUMP CRAB MEAT, ONIONS, GREEN & RED
PEPPERS TOPPED WITH HOLLANDAISE SAUCE ROASTED RED
POTATOES AND GREEN BEANS*

CHEESECAKE WITH RASPBERRY SAUCE, STRAWBERRIES AND

WHIPPED CREAM

CASH BAR



*THE GATHERINGS HOLIDAY PARTY
GIFT EXCHANGE!*

*IF YOU WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
HOLIDAY PARTY GIFT EXCHANGE*

*PLEASE BRING A FESTIVELY WRAPPED GIFT OF
A \$25.00 VALUE TO THE PARTY*

*THE MORE IMAGINATIVE THE GIFT THE
MORE FUN FOR EVERYONE WHEN IT IS
OPENED!*

